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SUBJECT: MINISTER-PRESIDENT-ELECT ERNST ALBRECHT DECLINES TO
PRESENT A CABINET LIST

1. MINISTER-PRESIDENT-ELECT ERNST ALBRECHT FORMALLY
ADVISED THE PRESIDENT OF THE LANDTAG IN HANNOVER THIS
AFTERNOON THAT HE HAD DECIDED NOT TO PRESENT A CABINET
LIST TO THE LANDTAG FOR APPROVAL.

2. HEINZ MUELLER, THE PRESIDENT OF THE LANDTAG, HAS THERE-
FORE CONVENED A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE LANDTAG ON FEBRUARY 6
TO VOTE UPON THE IMMEDIATE DISSOLUTION OF THE STATE LEGIS-
LATURE. AS WE REPORTED IN HAMBURG 136, ALL THREE PARTIES
ARE EXPECTED TO OPPOSE THE DISBANDMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE.
IF THE DEPUTIES OPPOSE THE DISSOLUTION OF THE LANDTAG,

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MUELLER MUST, THEREFORE, CALL FOR THE IMMEDIATE ELECTION

OF A NEW MINISTER-PRESIDENT. UNLESS DRAMATICALLY NEW
DEVELOPMENTS OCCUR WHICH WOULD LEAD US TO BELIEVE THAT
THE SPD/FDP COALITION HAS SUCCEEDED IN REESTABLISHING
INTRA-PARTY DISCIPLINE OVER ITS DEPUTIES, WE CONTINUE
TO BELIEVE THAT ALBRECHT WILL MANAGE TO DEFEAT RAVENS,
HIS SPD/FDP COALITION OPPONENT, BY A RAZOR-EDGE MARGIN.
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